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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the title as follows:

~~SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS~~
~~ENCODING THE SAME POLYPEPTIDES ENCODED BY A NUCLEIC ACID~~
OVEREXPRESSED IN ESOPHAGEAL AND KIDNEY TUMOR

Please amend paragraph [0012], beginning at page 4, as follows:

[0012] In a further aspect, the invention concerns an isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence having at least about 80% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 81% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 82% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 83% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 84% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 85% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 86% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 87% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 88% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 89% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 90% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 91% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 92% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 93% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 94% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 95% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 96% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 97% nucleic acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 98% nucleic acid sequence identity and alternatively at least about 99% nucleic acid sequence identity to (a) a DNA molecule that encodes the same mature polypeptide encoded by any of the human protein cDNAs deposited with the ATCC American Type Culture Collection (hereinafter "ATCC™") as disclosed herein, or (b) the complement of the DNA molecule of (a).

Please amend paragraph [0016], beginning at page 7, as follows:

[0016] In a further aspect, the invention concerns an isolated PRO polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence having at least about 80% amino acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 81% amino acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 82% amino acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 83% amino acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 84% amino acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 85% amino acid sequence identity, alternatively at least about 86% amino acid sequence identity,

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Please amend the specification by replacing the heading and paragraph beginning at page 1, line 2, that was previously amended by the preliminary amendment mailed on September 3, 2002, with the following amended paragraph:

RELATED APPLICATIONS

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PAG.

This application is a continuation of, and claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 to, US Application 10/006867 filed 12/6/2001, ^{now US Patent 7,160,985} which is a continuation of, and claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 to, PCT Application PCT/US00/23328 filed 8/24/2000, ^{now abandoned} ~~which is a continuation-in-part of, and claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 to, US Application 09/380137 filed 8/25/1999, which is the National Stage filed under 35 U.S.C. §371 of PCT Application PCT/US99/12252 filed 6/2/1999, which claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 to US Provisional Application 60/088863 filed 6/11/1998.~~